

2024 FAIR SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Thursday, September 12th

3 pm. – 8 pm. Home Economic entries accepted.

Friday, September 15th

9:30 am. Home Economic Judging (except Baked Goods & Floriculture)

Saturday, September 16th

Campers may begin entering the fairgrounds. **Reservations required.**

9:00 am. 14 and over Junior and Miss contestants arrive ready for interview
9:10 am. Interview for Junior and Miss Contestants
9-10 am. Check in for 13 and under pageant contestants
10:00 am. Pageant begins

Sunday, September 15th

1 – 4 pm. Set up Educational Booths
4 pm - 6 pm. Enter Baked Goods & Floriculture (option of 2 day drop off - Sunday & Monday)

Monday, September 16th

9 am. – 11 am. Enter Baked Goods & Floriculture (option of 2 day drop off - Sunday & Monday)
9 am. – 2 pm. Judging Baked Goods & Floriculture
9 am. – 6 pm. Set up Educational Booths must be in place and remain in place until 9 am. Sunday

- 10 am. – 6 pm. Set up Commercial Booths
10 am Ag Mechanics must be in place
- 10 am. - 12 pm. Ag Mechanics check-in and classification
- 10 am. Judging of Dairy Goat Exhibits followed by Dairy Goat showmanship. Awards will directly follow the show.
- Following Dairy Goat Show:
Judging of Junior Dairy Cattle Showmanship & Junior and Open Dairy Cattle Exhibits
Awards will directly follow the show.
- Following the Junior Dairy Cattle Show:
Judging of Small Ruminant Show--Breeding Meat Goat & Breeding Sheep (Dept. R)
Awards will immediately follow the show.
- 1 pm. Ag Mechanics Show (judging) - Exhibitors must be present at judging unless showing another exhibit. If showing another exhibit, you must see the Ag Mechanics Superintendent for other arrangements.
- 6 pm. - 7:30 pm. Faulkner County Fair Youth Livestock Skill-a-Thon Contest
7 pm. – 10 pm. Swine may enter the fairgrounds (health papers will be checked before unloading)
10 pm. All Poultry (other than broilers) MUST be in place.

Tuesday, September 17th

- 8:00 am. Swine Showmanship followed by Swine Purebred Show then Faulkner County Bred Swine Show.
- 8:30 am. Broilers will be judged in the Rabbit Show area. All other poultry will be judged in the poultry area. All broilers will be released after judging. Broiler Awards will immediately follow the show. The general breed will be judged following the broiler show.
- 10 am. – 5 pm. Set up Commercial Booth
- 4 PM **Midway Opens**
- 5 pm. Judging of Goat Wether Dam Show
Followed by Faulkner County Bred Market Goat Show
Followed by Peewee Market Goat Showmanship
Followed by Market Goat Show
Followed by Junior & Senior Market Goat Showmanship

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- 5 pm. **Downtown Parade**
- 5 pm. **Commercial Exhibits Open**

Wednesday, September 18th -- ARMBAND NIGHT

- 9 am. Rabbit Show. Awards will immediately follow the show. All meat rabbits will be released after judging.
- 9 am. Exhibit Buildings Open
- 12 pm. Judging of Swine Showmanship, followed by Breeding Swine Show. Awards will immediately follow the show.
- 4:00 - 10:00 pm. **Midway and Commercial Exhibits Open -- Armband Night**
- 6 pm. Market Hog Show

Thursday, September 19TH -- ARMBAND NIGHT

- 9 am. Judging of Beef Cattle Exhibits (Market Steers, Prospect/Feeder Steers, Breeding Beef, Heifers and Showmanship) Awards will immediately follow the show.
- 9 am. Market Lamb Weigh-In
- 9 am. Exhibit Building Open
- 4:00 - 10:00 pm. **Midway and Commercial Exhibits Open -- ARMBAND NIGHT**
- 5:30 pm. Check-In for the Faulkner County Jr. & Sr. Talent Contest on the Centennial Bank Stage (Ages 10-21)
- 6 pm. Judging of Wether Dams
Followed Market Lambs
Followed by Lamb Showmanship
- 6:30 pm. Faulkner County Fair **Talent Contest** (Ages 10-15 & Ages 16-21) at the Centennial Stage

Friday, September 20th

- 9 am. Exhibit Buildings Open
- 9 am. -10 am. Dog Obedience Exhibition (School Groups Welcome)
- 10:15am Youth Dog Show – Begins at 10:15 am., concludes at 4:30 pm (or earlier depending on number of entries). Awards will immediately follow the show and end at 5:00 pm
- 4pm-12 am **Midway and Commercial Exhibits Open**
- 5:30 pm. Livestock Award Ceremony begins followed by Parade of Champions (recognition of livestock contestant's awards)
- 6 pm. – 8 pm. Parade of Champions - All Grand and Reserve Market Animals will be on exhibit in the Show Ring

Saturday, September 21ST -KIDS DAY Armband Day (10am-3:30pm)

(Arm bands will not be sold after 3 PM)

- 8:00 am. Exhibit Buildings open.
- 9:30 am. Check-In for the Cowboy Cutie Contest Near the Centennial Stage
- 10 am. Cowboy Cutie Contest (Ages: 0-9) at Centennial Stage
- 10 am. Junior Livestock Premium Auction Sale
- 10 am. **Midway and Commercial Exhibits Open**
- 10 pm. Livestock & Exhibits Dismissed (Dismissal Subject to Change)
- 10 pm. Ag Mechanics exhibits will be released **(even if purchased prior in the week)**
- Midnight Midway Closed – End of Fair- All livestock and tack must be off Fairgrounds.

Sunday, September 22nd

- 8:30 am. Any livestock or tack left on the fairgrounds at this time will be sold or given away. The original owner or person who entered the livestock in the Fair will be charged for any expense incurred by the Fair Board in disposing of the livestock.
- 1 am. - 3pm. Pick up Home Economics, Horticulture, Floriculture Exhibits, and Educational Booths.
- 12 pm. Cleanup Crew
- 12 pm.- 2 pm. Pick up Commercial Booths

See Livestock Rules for Possible Dismissal

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